

就七十八百四千八第 No. 8487 SHIPPING. ARRIVALS. March 4, Anton, German str., 395, E. Acrabol, Pakhoi 28th February, and Hoihow 3rd March, General. - WIELER & Co. March 5, DANUBE, British steamer, 561, Joseph Newton, Bangkok 23rd February, Rice and General.-YUEN FAT HONG. Morch 5, Esmeralda, British str., 395, Taylor, Manila 2nd Mar., General.—Russell & Co. March 5, Oopack, British steamer, 1,729, W. S. Thomson, Nagasaki 28th February, Coals and General.—ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. . March 5, EURIPIDES, British steamer, 1,153, J. Herd, Kushinotsu 27th February, Coals. ADAMSON, BELL & Co. March 5, Welcombe, British steamer, 1,323, BOOTS AND SHOES, W. R. Corfield, Saigon 27th February, Rice and General -- CHINESE. March 5, Audictous, British i.-c., from a cruise. March 5, Donis, German steamer, 771, W. Zerrahn, Kelung 3rd March, Ballast,-WIELER March 5, Elsa, German steamer, 552, Kuschert, Haiphong 2nd Mar., General .- A. R. MAR-CLEARANCES. AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S QFFICE. 5TH MARCH. Melita, German str., for Chefoo. Fidelio, German str., for Whampos. Hailoong, British str., for Swatew. Anton, German str., for Hollow, Celebes, Datch str., for Saigon. Claymore, British str., for Swatow. Jessie Geborne, British ship, for Akyab. " DEPARTURES. March 5, HELENE, German sch., for Chefoo. March 5, Antonio Munoz, Spanish steamer, for March 5, HAILOONG, British str., for Swatow. March 5, Fidelio, German str., for Whampon. March 5 Picciola, German str., for Chefco. PASSENGERS. Per Anton, str., from Pakhoi and Hoihow .-28 Chinese... Per Danube, str., from Bungkok.-2 Chinese Per Esmeralda, str., from Manila.—Mr. Smith and two others, and 150 Chinese. Per Welcombe, str., from Saigon .- Mrs. Corfield and family, and 12 Chinese. Per Elsa, str., from Haiphong.-10 Chinese. DEPARTED. Per Bellerophon, str., for Amoy.-Mossrs. A Prosob and H. Tabor. Per Taiwan, str., for Port Darwin.-Mr. J Warner. For Brisbane. -Mr. J. A. Blake. For Melbourne.-Mr. A. Brown. TO DEPART. Per Tcheran, str., for Yokohama. - From Hong. kong.-Mr. and Mrs. Chance. Messes. McQueen Triple Alliance, and W. McQueen. REPORTS. The German steamer Doris reports left Ke-Imag on the 3rd March, and had very light mongoon and very often thick fog-The British steamer Esmeralda reports left Manils on Monday night at 10.30 p.m., and had fine weather throughout with moderate. Northery breezo. The British steamer Danubs reports left Bangkok at 10 p.m. of the 23rd February, and had strong mensoon and high sea throughout the passage. The British steamer Welcombs reports left Saigon on the 27th February. From Gage St. James to the Paracels fresh mensoon, heavy head sea, and strong S.W. current; thence to port fine, clear weather. The German steamer Anion reports left Pakon the 28th Fobruary, and Holhow on the March. First part of voyage calm and very heavy fog; latter part moderate monsoon and clear weather.Shanghai., (Corrected to Date.) .Cardiff ... STEAM-LAUNOR the 1st November, 1884. WEEK DAYS.

VESSELS ARRIVED IN EUROPE FROM PORTS IN CHINA, JAPAN, AND MANILA. (Per last Mail's Advice.) Ningchow (s.)Shanghai.............Jan. 10 Selembria (s.).....Shanghai.....Jan. 15 Glenfruin (s.) Shanghai. Jan. 20 Teucer (s.).........Shanghai...........Jan. 21 Anchises (s.)Shanghai............Jan. 22 VESSELS EXPECTED AT HONGRONG. Birnham Wood ... Penarth Nov. 1 COLLECTION of VIEWS, than any other New City New York Nov. 11 in the Empire, the Copies of which are only Hindostan Cuxhaven Nov. 13 to be purchased at his Studio or Messrs.

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General Agents. Hongkong, 3rd March, 1885. JUZON SUGAR REFINING COMPANY (LIMITED).

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8125 is Payable on and after MONDAY, the Moderate Rates. 2nd March, at the Offices of the Corporation where Shareholders are requested to apply for Warrants. By Order of the Court of Directors.

Chief Manager. Hongkong, 28th February, 1885. HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

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> Cargo impeding the discharge of the steamer will be at once landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense and no Fire Insurance will Optional Cargo will be forwarded on to Japan, unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon, TO-MORROW, the 5th instant. All Claims against the steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 13th instant, or they will not be recognised.

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RUSSELL & Co., Hongkong, 4th March, 1885.

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[421 EXO. S.S. CO.'S S.S. "BELLEROPHON, FROM LIVERPOOL. CHIPPING Orders must be obtained from the Undersigned not later than the 7th inst.

forshipment persteamer "GLAUCUS." BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 2nd March, 1885. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

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the Attorney-General at the meeting of the outmanduring John Chinaman. These Legislative Council on Wednesday. Pro- little incidents serve to show the motives perly speaking he said it ought to be called animating the Creoles of Mauritius in forte and cabinet organ, both as secompanyist the Married Woman's Disposition of Pro- their opposition to Chinese immigration. perty Ordinance, and it would perhaps be as So far the matter has hardly passed the well that this title should be formally grumbling stage, but signe are not wanting was evinced in the result. Bombardier Egan, adopted; the shorter title is apt to convey an of a more active agretation being raised by the absurd suggestion that the Legislature is Creoles. The latest utterances of the papers endeavouring in some way to regulate the indicate a distinct desire for action. The ladies' dispositions. The Bill is intended. Mercantile Record, in again drawing attention up the question of Indian tea. It is perfectly simply to improve the legal machinery to the grievance, and urging that it is high by which the landed property of married time for the Legislature to interfere, says :women may be sold or otherwise disposed of. "In Australia the Governments have suc-It may be useful to mention that it confers ceeded in partly putting a stop to the invano new rightson married women with regard sion of Chinamen. It is said that as they to property, but simply provides for the more nearly all pretend to be British subjects, convenient exercise of the rights they al. there is no remedy for the evil. But their import was 158,094,110 lbs.; in 1871-72, the imready possess. In Hongkong property com- title of British subjects has not prevented ing to a married woman passes under the action on the part of the Australians against price of China tea now is 11d. per pound. As, control of the husband, unless secured to her | them; why should it do so here? If nothing An Auglo-Chinese Calendar. Meantime of Sunser and Sanset, Mean of Barometer, and a bequest. In England the Married Wo-who will be obliged to abandon the place of consumed in the United Kingdom comes from man's Property Act conferred on married their birth. Can the Legislative Council not women a separate right of property entirely authorit the question to its Law Committee?" atter has no claim on property inherited by objection to the Chinaman in Mauritius his wife nor on her earnings, while the wife lif he would only be content to till the soil has conferred on her the privilege of suing and to remain in the ranks of the hewers being sued in her own name. The Act which of wood and drawers of water. The head Scales of Commissions and Charges adopted by thus revolutionised the legal status of the and front of his offending is that he prefers femme converte extends to the jurisdiction of a vecation which the Creoles consider pethe Supreme Court of China and Japan, and culiarly their own, and hence the antagonism by Mr. Wodehouse. Napper was again before Christian.... it thus happens that a very considerable dis- he has aroused. As the Creoles have found ston and Rivers was taken. The two police Leach tinction exists in the eye of the law between a special champion in Governor Hennessy officers differed somewhat in their view of the Bookers come into operation, also tables of COURT | the position of a married woman residing | it is probable that any agitation commenced under British protection, at Canton or else- by them against Chinese immigration will where in China or Japan and that of a married woman residing in Hongkong, Whereas the former has entire control over her own property, the Bill introduced in the Legislative Council the other day, after providing and sinew and thereby impoverishing the that a married woman may deal in certain country. ways with her estate, goes on to say that "no such disposition, disclaimer, release, surrender, or extinguishment shall be valid and effectual unless the husband concur in the deed by which the same is effected." A further section provides that the Judge may nouncement should unfortunately prove vigation line has been called into being by some dispense with this concurrence if the husband literally correct, the fact can only presage is, "in consequence of unsound mind or from new troublefor England. The imbedile foreign monthly, competing thus with those of the Neany other cause incapable of executing a policy of the "Grand Old Man" is likely to derland Insulinde and the Rotterdam Lloyd comdeed, or if his residence is not known, or he bear a very full crop of disasters, of which is living apart from his wife either by mutual we are now tasting the first fruits only. Re- ed plying to Java. Our reeders will doubtless consent or by sentence of divorce, or from peated warnings with regard to Russian deany other cause whatsoever." Under the signs and intrigues in Central Asia have the Netherlands and Java determined, notwithlatter clause a woman could gain sole control over her property by leaving her husband, but they have been systematically disregard. tile community, to raise their freight charges but this would be such an extreme measure ed by Mr. GLADSTONE and his colleagues that the section practically confers no pri- who have remained deaf to advice, beedless quence of the coming into operation of the commer- he got the man downstairs into a chair, and had vilege at all. The difference between the of signs, blind to facts. No British Gov-Orders in Council for Government of H.B.M. legal position of married women under the jurisdiction of the Supreme Court of China Rules of H.B.M. Supreme and other Courts and Japan is, however, a matter more of sentiment than of practical importance. The while England bars the Russian road to the navigation line has the Darrepsal Bank for Married Woman's Property Act, while re- Bosphorus, Russia will seek to cause embarvolutionising, as we have said, the legal position of the femme converte in England, has been followed by no corresponding social re- tween the Anglo-Saxon and the Muscovite, volution. Doubtless it has proved useful in the former must convive at the appropriamany individual cases in protecting a mar- tion by the latter of Constantinople. Wheried woman's property or earnings from a ther the Russian alliance is worth having at dissipated or cruel husband, but amongst such a price is another question; but mean- via Singapore and Penang, will also take adthe European residents of Hongkong we time no English statesman can afford for a

WE note by the last received files of Mauritius papers that a strong feeling of opposition to Kowloon. Chinese immigration is growing up in that island, more especially among the Creeles. This is due apparently to several causes. Another wave of misfortune has just swept over the Colony by the general depression of the augar trade, that being the staple product of Mauritius. The consequence is that large numbers of persons there are out of work, and the last two shipments of coolies from India have not been able to find employers. The question as to the disposal of 111 of them being quasi imprisoned at the Depôt in January last, while the Government and planters were deciding what was yesterday. The German steamer Fidelio will to be done with them. On the one hand there was no work for them; on the other, they could not be repatriated without some compensation. Nor is the distress in the island confined to the lower classes of Malbourne & Brisbane. | labour. The Crecles are suffering to an even | bour unavailable. greater extent, With 's view to providing them with some means of employment a so- cutside the port of Hollo on the morning of the He sent for the parish clerk, and asked him what had of late been two cases of death apparently was indebted and produced his account book as photographs, Prince Henry may find it difficult SAN FRAN'CO. Mr. L. P. Fisher, 21, Merchants' ciety called the Mauritian Society for Colo. 14th February, as already reported, was success. was the caused by alcoholic poisoning. If Major proof of his stetement that he had paid the to match her accomplishments. It is greatly in

gard to the social relationships vary so much

from our own that it would be found imprac-

ticable to apply such a law to them.

to emigrate to Madagascar, where a larger field for enterprise appears to exist. The Chinese. Unlike the Indians, they urgo, the the Greole manor. The Oreoles complain that. the Chinese competition is not fair, and they tre now engaged in making an indictment manauvre of a Chinese shopkeeper in a small village a few miles from Port Louis. " has," says the Record, " hired nearly all as dwellings or shops to all persons who will carry on any business except that of a Chinaman's abop, so that his shop is the only one village. He does a great deal of business. Whether he sells at a cheap rate or not, we let, but this he cares little about. He told us that he prefers letting the houses as dwellings, for the tenants are all his customnaman has hired every place which could surely. - Straits Times. serve as a shop along the high road for a the whole custom of the environe." The for twenty years held his own against Chiposition Ordinance was briefly explained by this successful individual in the art of as did the duet between Mr. Swales and Mr.

THE intelligence telegraphed by Rueter respecting the reported advance of the Russian troops into Afghan territory will, we trust prove exaggerated or mistaken. If the anwhere Russia is concerned: the variest novice rassment to England in India. If there is ever to be lasting peace and friendship beferent ports of China, Philippines, Siam, &c. have few of that, class in reference to which moment to relax the most vigilant water this consideration would apply. As to the possible on the movements of Russia in Chinese, their ideas and customs with re- Central Asia.

The British ironelad frigate Audacious, Capt.

Pearson, returned to her moorings yesterday. A meeting of the Hongkong Gun Club will take place this afternoon on their grounds at

The British ironclad Agamemnon, Captain Long, has arrived at Colombo, and will leave that port for Hongkong vid Singapore to-day.

We hear that the French man-of-war that was damaged or disabled by the forts at Chinhai on Sunday last was the corvette Niellu. Report says she was struck several times.

dwarf, residing in Shiga ken (Osaka). He is 36 years old and only 17 inches high. He is reported to have received a good education, and an write remarkably well The British steamers Phra Chem Klao and on Korti Fokien went over to, and H.M.S. Espoir and the British steamer Agean left, the Kowloon dooks

· The smallest human being living is possibly

leave Kowloon to-day. Coffee growing in Brazil is said to be in a de- Afghans to resist any further advance. pressed condition owing to scercity of labour. The slaves are dying out in great numbers year. ly, free people decline to work on the estates. Chinese labour is too costly, and European la-

object being to aid persons who are willing proceeded on her voyage to Manila the next day

In his last trade circular, Mr. Peter Maclean. of Shanghai, referring to the Chinese New Year settlements there, says :- "Our local dealers have pinch now felt by the Creoles is aggravating had a satisfactory settling time, their balances the normal dislike they entertain to the for the most part being well on the right side. Sixteen native banks have started into existence this year, as against nine last year, a circumstance Chinese have no taste for plantation labour suggestive of returning confidence on the part and prefer to open shops, thus posehing on of capitalists. They are, however, by no means lavish with their money, and will lend to none but the most solid of merchants or sustomers. In common with all, they dread the French."

The correspondent of The Times, writing from against the Chinese immigrants. The Mer. Hanci, says of the Generals connected with the cantile Record in a recent issue tells, in its expedition that Direct inspires confidence; own peculiar way, what it calls the crafty Negrier of losser build and lither limb, with and 123. his honest face, his quick, perceptive looks, and military ardour—inspires unbounded enthusiasm.

The French soldiers, picking up the so-called Annamite words in common use, have not inaptly the shops in the village, and lets them out hit off the characteristic of the several Generals, including the most appopular Millet, who is poken of everywhere as an arrogant, overbearing person-a parvenu General, more lobbyist than soldier. Him they denominate toi-i.e. for grocery, eatables, and drinkables in the "stop, shut up." Brière is man-man, or "steady; while Négrier is molan, or "quick, sharp."

Several Batavia mercantile firms have memorialised the Governor-General in favour of the cannot say, but we should be inclined to be- remission of taxation on sugar in Java and Holarticle on State railways, the result being that has always two or three shops which are not they were officially notified in reply that their application will be taken into consideration. prices or beet-root competition, by the appearance ers; he has no objection to overcrowding, as and steady spreading for years in the province of of the Black River, another "cunning Chi- that it gains ground year after year, slowly but 21.

The second popular concert at the Temperance considerable distance; so that he commands Hall last night proved an even greater success than the first one. The hall was packed in hard for a good 28 (not out). Record then informs its readers that there is on the stairs unable to find standing room visitors. a Creole shopkeeper living at Moka who has in the Hall. There is no doubt the concerts are supplying a want which has been felt by a large and increasing class in the colony. namen, and it expresses the opinion that it From beginning to end the offorts of the peris a great pity that all the Croole shop. formers to please were exceedingly well receiv-THE object of the Married Woman's Dis- keepers do not go and take lessons from ed. The character songs of Mr. Scott. were given in a capital manner, and took immensely, Gritton. Mrs. Gritton, as on the previous occasion, proved a great acquisition by her vecal powers, and her able manipulation of the pianoand soloist. The singing competition again brought out a number of competitors, who gave some good songs, and a great deal of interest R.A., won the watch, and a bluejacket the

A correspondent writes to Truth :- "All interested in India are indebted to you for taking true, as you say, that the ring buys up this tea at about a shilling per pound, and, after mixing it with China tea, sells it for the latter article. It is also true that the wholesale purveyors of grocers refuse to allow the grocers financial facilities for payment if they sell Indian tea. In 1871-72 the imports of tea from China amounted to 146,472,610 lbs.; in 1883-84, the port from India was 15,353,352 lbs.; and in 1883-84, it was 63,435,000 lbs. The average Hendry however, a great deal of it averages above 11d. Dobson India, and yet every one must be aware that Hendry this is not the proportion that is bought as In- D'Auth dian tea by the consumer. It follows, therefore, Dobson up inferior China teas."

It will be remembered that yesterday week Private Alfred Napper, of C Company of the Buffs, was convicted by Mr. Wodehouse at the Police Court of larceny on the Race Course, and Looch sentenced to six months' hard labour. The sen- Dunman case, the former regarding the matter more serious ly than the latter. Inspector Rivers said such cases were common on Race Days. The soldiers secure his support, the more so as Sir John, got gambling on some of the Chinese stalls, and when they lost money they kicked the stall over. when in Hougkong, opposed Chinese emigra-In past years it had been customary to treat such tion on the absurd ground that it was draincases as matters of disorderly conduct. P. S. ing the Central Kingdom of its bone Hennessy coincided with Inspector Rivers' views. His Worship revised his former decision and convicted Napper of disorderly conduct he also reduced the sentence from six months' hard labour to one of fourteen days'. At the same time he cautioned the defendant about his

The following, translated by the Straits Times from the Batavia Locomotief, possesses some interest for steamship owners:—A new steam na-London capitalists. The steamers to be run on behalf of the undertaking will call at Java ports paries..... Yesterday we made mention of a new British steam navigation line about to be startremember how, fully one year ago, the director of been given by experienced Auglo-Indians, standing every remonstrance from the mercan-24 per cent. This took the form of what is called primage in Britain, and was an immediate consecial quays and establishments constructed at Amsterdam, Rotterdam and Flushing for sorting carernment can possibly be excused for apathy wo in warehouses before delivery to consignees. This combination to charge heavier freight on in Eastern politics should be aware that goods shipped from here was sure to call comagent here, and will run its steamers monthly to Java. The pioneer steamer, the Duke of Westminster, is expected here shortly. There is, however, more competition coming. It is well known that many steamers for the time being out of employment come here in the sugar season to take in cargoes of that article. From what we can gather, Holt's steamers, of the socalled blue funnel line, held in such high repute a vantage of the sugar season to load here. It is true that Holt's line has a contract with the Netherlands Company whereby the latter binds it self not to call for cargo at Singapore and Penang, while the former engages to keep clear racks, of Java tobacco, Java indigo, &c., but this agreement is of no effect as to sugar. The Holt line has also wholly in its hands the steamer traffic racks on Wednesday night, when the deceased ing it. of the Rhio-Singapore-Laboan Deliand Bengkalis for medical assistance. Dr. Fogarty came to ing the point before judgment was given: support national business companies. Should. however, these companies combine to fleece. Netherlanders and Indo-Netherlanders they have only themselves to blame for the disagreeable consequences of such a mistaken policy.

LATEST TELEGRAMS.

LONDON, 4th March THE WAR IN THE SOUDAN.

THE RUSSIANS IN CENTRAL ASIA Russian troops are slowly advancing on Afghan territory. The British Government has advised the

CRICKET.

HONGRONG CRICKET CLUB V. VISITORS. .This match was played on Wednesday and Thursday, and resulted in a complete victory for the Club by nine wickets.

The Visitors were disappointed in losing two or three good players they counted on, but efficient substitutes were obtained on the ground who made a good show in each innings. The best scores for them were made by Sanderson 18 and 42, Robinson 10 and 19, Christian 11 and 19, Leach 11 and 8, De Roebech 24 and 7, and Wheeler 4 and 14, and their totals were 126

is far too often the case with Club teams. In batting the Club began very unluckily, losing 4 wickets to Leach's bowling in conse-32, and Coxon 24 (not out) brought the total up to 90 for 6 wickets at the close of the first day. On recommencing, Coxon continued his careful of the Visitors had been passed by 5 runs. lieve that his goods are not very cheap. He land, and lowering freight charges upon that Hendry and Dobson then hit the bowling in Meanwhile, cone growing in Java is threatened then well caught by Mills for a free hitting inwith ruin by a fee far more dangerous than low nings of 81, murred by one or two uppish hits, which, we thought, should have been caught, and Cheribon of a disease called Serch among grow. Stewart being bowled next ball, the innings however, and plaintiffs notified the captain that player. the more people there are in a room, the ing canes, whereby the stalks shrivel up until closed for 215. Leach was the most destructive they had not relinquished their right to the

> In their second innings the Club had to make 35 to win, which they socomplished with the loss of one wicket, Stewart hitting freely and

BROOMD LESISON. Byes 14, log byes 6, w4, no balls 2 21 Byes 4, wide HONGKONG CRICKET CLUB.

Septain Maturio, e Robinson, b

> BOWLING ANALYSIS. First Innings.

Balls, Runs, Maidens, Wickets, Wides

Byes 5, log byes 4, wides 416

Hongrong Chicket Club. Balls, Runs, Maidens, Wickets, W Second Innings

SUPPOSED CASE OF DEATH FROM DRINK.

as his symptoms became apparently serious he to them. lington Barracks, where he died soon afterwards. as it is believed, from the effects of drink.

following evidence was taken:— Witness sent out for the police, and two con-

stables arrived and took him away. sent for to last witness's shop, where he found respect to the court, the course which had been the deceased lying drunk and incapable on the floor. With the assistance of another constable him removed to the Central Station. Inspector Rivers said he was on duty in the

harge Room when the deceased was brought there, at 8.40. He was quite drunk, and was throwing his arms about. Witness gave instructions to have his collar loosened, and lav him down in the witness's room with a pillow under his head. The first witness brought no charge against him, and witness put him there, thinking he would come round in an hour or two; and he able to give his name, so that vomit, and he was brought into the charge-room. issue. where it was found that a discharge of mucus!

Mercury and Ganymede. The N. I. S. N. Com. ceased was still alive when handed over to wit to a disadvantage by having to appeal against

Corps, said the body was handed ever to him undressed and an orderly was sent to Blue practice. Buildings at once for the medical officer on duty, Surgeon Fogarty. He arrived at 11.50. and took charge of the deceased, who was still living, but was quite unconscious to the last. At this stage the inquest had to stop for want Major General Buller's column has fallen back of evidence, as there was no medical officer present to give evidence as to the cause of death. Lieut. Mitford, of the Bulls, was present, and he said it was not part of the duty of the officers

of the regiment to provide the evidence; it appertained to the Brigade Office entirely. Dr. Fogarty was sent for but could not be found, and the Hespital orderly had to be hunted

During the rage for spelling-bees a clergyman officer present he should adjourn the case, and employed the plaintiff to sell some land for him. that the Princess Beatrice still has a teacher was "turned back" at a fashionable assembly for he should give no order for burial for the present but said the defence was that he had paid him daily for two or three hours, a different subject spelling drunkenness with one "n." Shortly until he had heard some more of the case. He all that was due. afterwards he returned to his parish, and found had received a letter from Major Cochrane, the The plaintiff and his witnesses were called to as a good linguist, a first-class musician, theorist, The Spanishsteamer Churruca, which ranashore himself very coldly received by his parishioners. Brigade Major, who informed him that there prove the case, and the defendant deviced that he and executant, and can draw, paint, and take nizing Madagascar has been formed, the was found to have sustained no damage. She out of a great lady's house in London for drunk. specially wished to be investigated, he should be His Lordship gave judgment for the defend. officers; and as to his good looks there can be no happy to go into them, but he should like to ant with costs.

know what evidence was forthcoming. The inquiry would be adjourned until three o'clock on Saturday afternoon at the same place. A post mortent examination has been held on the body, but there is no evidence at present as o what it has disclosed.

SUPREME COURT. 5th March. IN APPEAL.

BEFORE THE FULL COURT. MESSRS. JARDINE, MATHESON AND CO. THE BRITISH STEAMER " MOUNT LEBANON."

The Atterney-General, (Hen. E. L. O'Malley) instructed by Messrs. Wotton and Descon, for In the first innings the Club gave 26 extras the respondents; Mr. Francis, instructed and generally the fielding was very slovenly, as Mesers. Sharp, Johnson, and Stokes, for the that the first defendant was the manager of the In this case judgment was given for the plain- month for his pay, and 20 per cent of the profit, tiffs in a claim for the delivery of 1,1774 tons of but did not share losses. The latter statement coal purchased by the plaintiffs and in the he afterwards contradicted in cross-examination; entive balls (4 for 10), but D'Aeth 19, Stuart | keeping of Capt. John Smith, the master of the and various other statements made were varied

Mount Lebanon The steamer was chartered by from the Mexican Pacific Navigation Company to run The case was remanded to Saturday. between Hongkong and the ports of the South Pacific. It arrived here in October last innings, while Dobson hit in his usual free style, with a cargo of coal, which was sold toand when Coxon was bowled for 31, the score various persons. Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co. purchased 1,1772 tons of the coal from some Chinese purchasers, and had it weighed out into the bunkers and the adjoining hold. Plaintiffs ley, privates of marine of the U.S.S. Enterprise, every direction, and had just passed the second wereagents to the Compania Mexicana, and bought admitted being stragglers from their ship, and century when Hendry was bowled; Dobson was the coal with a view of using it for that yessel the police were ordered to put them on board. in accordance with the terms of the charter party. At that time the Compania Mexicana had not supplied them with a bank credit, but they were expecting it every day. It did not arrive, charge of stealing articles belonging to his emcoal on board and might remove it. Inter on the on the roturn of his clothes from the wash on the more customers he gets from that room." they become useless for crushing purposes. The same paper adds that in an isolated part medy for it known, the only thing certain being of the Black Bla livery of the coals, which Capt. Smith declined Danby had given him the singlets and the coolie to give up, on the ground that they were not the property of Massra. Jardine, Matheson & Co. His boxes were searched, and in them a pair of the plaintiffs, not upon any ground raised of things marked W. D. which were supposed to in the hearing of the case, but upon the belong to Mr. Danby, but that gentleman could ground that the defendant though he might have been justified in requiring time communicate with the Compania Mexicana, was not entitled to set upaclaim to the coal on his own account. His Lordship intimated at the time that as the point had not been argued before the ploves were not wanted. Court, he would give every facility to the de-

femilant to have it argued before the Full Court. Mr. Francis said he had now to appeal that the judgment of the Chief Justice in this case should be reversed, and the plaintiffs' potition dismissed with costs. He contended in the first place, that ander the circumstances stated in the judgment, the nature of the pleadings, and the nature of the arguments, the Court should not have delivered judgment at all. The case was de cided upon an issue that had not been raised at the hearing, and he thought the proper course would have been for the Court have indicated to the parties where the issue lay, and to have given them an opportunity of arguing it out. Mr. Francis then went into the case at great length, arguing that Mesars, Jardine, Matheson & Co. had purchased the coals on behalf of the Compania Mexicana, with whom the property vested, and they had now no claim to them. He submitted that if the Chinese coal dealers had not been paid they would have been entitled to sue the Compania Mericana for the value of the coal. Messrs. Jardine. Matheson & Co. would not have pur chased the coal otherwise than as agents for the Compania Mericana, and they never took de-

livery of the coal themselves. The Chief Justice pointed out that that could hardly be, as the bills were made out to Messrs. Jardine. Matheson & Co. and not to the Com panis Mexicans...

Mr. Franci put it that Messrs. Jardine, Ma theren & Co. never had any property in the coal and that it simply passed from the Chinese dealers to the Companie Mexicans, for whom Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co. purchased it as agents. ed from the Chinese dealers to Messra. Jardine, his ship for the convenience of the agents of the men each is now going on here, and two more parterers. There was no evidence that the charplaintiffs should have gone

The Chief Justice said the difference between Mr. Francis and himself was that the former On Wednesday night a soldier, Private John thought Messrs. Jardine Matheson & Co. should at Bocca Tigris. He is anxious to render them Cogan, of The Buffs, was taken to the Police have applied to the Compania Mexicana, while Station in a helplessly intoxicated condition, and he thought the captain should have applied to

An inquest was opened on the body at the passed to the Compania Mexicana had become Wellington Barracks yesterday afternoon before re-vested in them by some means. This, he subthe Coroner, Mr. H. E. Wodehouse, and a jury mitted they had not done. It was not a case where, are no signs of any revival. The uncertainty as composed of Messrs. A. M. C. A. L. Reuter, W. with the insolvency of the vendee, the lien of the to whether the French will attack Canton oper-H. Gaskell, and C. J. da S. Loureiro, when the purchaserrevived, and all his clienthad to do under the circumstances, he thought, was to prove his pos-Wan Tuk Fan, photographer in the Pun Lun | session. He was the authorised agent of the charshop, 56, Queen's-road Central, said that on terers, and it was his duty to defend the possession operations in consequence. The inhabitants Wednesday evening, about seven o'clock, the de- of this coal, and the Compania Mexicana were en- fear that if the French visit Canton the city may ceased came up to his shop and took up some titled to throw the burden upon him of defending be shelled or set on fire, and they tremble for pictures to look at them. He was apparently that right, which it was to be assumed they had their property accordingly. under the influence of drink, and witness told done in this case in the absence of any evidence him to go away. He refused; and smashed a to the contrary. If Messrs. Jardine, Matheson glass and a Chinese bowl, after which he chased & Co. sued the Compania Mexicans, the letter witness and others about there to best them. | could not avoid their responsibility. In the course His Lordship had adopted in this judgment, entirely new ground had been taken Shan Sing, P.C. 652, gave evidence to being and he should deprecate, with all deference and

acting upon entirely new grounds. the best of its power. It was utterly impossible that eract precedents could be found in all cases. ciples. I speak as a duty to the public. The decision differs from any existing principle or

Mr. Justice Russell-That is your opinion. Mr. Francis said it was. This case had been dealt with as a hard case, and a hard case had a a military escort might be sent for to take tendency to make bad law. Mr. Francis again him away. At about half-past ten a constable went on to argue that no judgment should have who had been put in charge of the de been given, but that the parties should have been

His Lordship said he did not know in what was issuing from his nose and mouth, and his way the petition could be amended. Rightly or

pany, by excessive charges arising out of the ness, but he was breathing very heavily, and wit. judgment which had been given against him, monopoly it enjoys, has almost been ousted out ness had him taken to Hospital at once, and sent and he should have had an opportunity of arguline, on which it runs the steamer Ophir. With- him about twenty minutes afterwards. Witness His Lordship said he considered that it would in certain limits, we believe it to be the duty of knew the deceased, who was about 21 years of be only increasing the expense in case there was telligible language.—Globe. every Netherlander and Indo Netherlander to lage, and had been in the colony rather over nothing to argue. As it was the defendant would still have every opportunity of arguing Private David Clark, of the Army Hospital the point.

at Hospital by Sergent Cox at 11.20 the pre-placed upon his client. He had no doubt the to introduce a novel feature into the programme. vious night. The deceased was still living, Court would not allowed him to be injuriously. Amongst the pony races there were two especialand he was taken to the Casualty Ward and affected by it, but it was simply a matter of

The Attorney General asked for time to make his reply to the arguments of Mr. Francis; The hearing was adjourned to next Monday ac eleven.

IN SUMMARY JURISDICTION. Barona Mr. Justice Russell.

LOW WAI CHEONG V. YEONG U PAR. \$600. Mr. Stokes appeared for the plaintiff, and Mr. defendant.

The claim was for \$600 for brokerage and His Worship said as there was no medical Mr. Wilson admitted that the defendant had child of Prince Alexander of Hesse. It is stated

POLICE COURT

BEFORE MR. H. E. WODEHOUSE

CHARGE OF EXTENSIVE LARCENT Li Shui Ng, accountant, and Leong Chi Chu, shopman, were charged with stealing \$1,585, the property of the Wing Chong firm at 22, Circular Pathway, on the 23rd ult.

Mr. Messop appeared for the presecution; Mr. Wetten for the defence. The evidence taken was very extensive, and the case appeared considerably complicated, as there appeared to be a good deal of partnership mixed up in the matter, though the complainant, Lau Lai Chin, at first declared himself to be the sole proprietor, having a similar shop at Macao, by and another at his native village. He alleged shop in Circular Pathway, and received \$5.50 a

BEFORE Mr. A. G. WISE.

STRAGGLERS. J. J. Calligan, Thomas Broderic, Thomas Murray, H. J. Brown, J. Griffiths, and W. Fow-

MR. FENWICK'S SERVANT. Chun Asing, servant in the employ of Mr. G. Fenwick, was before the court, on remand, on the

but of the charterers, for whom he was hold. gloves was found which Mr. Wagner hat lost ing it. His Lordship gave judgment for some time before. There were also a number identify none of them. There was also a table cloth for which an owner could not be found.

The defendant said some of the things were given him by Mr. Danby, and he might have mixed them up with others. He thought the He was convicted and sentenced to six months

hard labour.

Chan Afak, stonecutter, was sentenced to ten days' hard labour for stealing a brass pipe beonging to a woman who was a passenger on the

Wong Agnan, coolie, for stealing some copper t the Hung Ham Docks, was sentenced to seven days in gaol, and two hours' exposure in the stocks on the Chinese Represtion Ground. Li A Sz. unemployed, was convicted of stealing a jacket from the house of one Wong Afak. on the 4th inst., and he was sent to gad for three weeks. 'Tam Aping, coolie, was sent to goal for a

week for misappropriating a jacket hung out to

To Atuk, carpentar, for stealing some bamboos at Yaumati, was sentenced to a fortnight's hard-Wong Acheung, coolinemployed at the Taikoo Sugar Refinery, was convicted of stealing a lamp belonging to his employer, and was com-

mitted to durance vile for a week. Ching Achon will also langish in prison for ten days for stealing a jacket which a too confiding woman-had spread out to dry outside her louse in Webster's Buzzar.

> CANTON. FROM A CORRESPONDENT.

His Excellency Peng Yu-lin, the Imperial Commissioner for Coast Defence, has returned Supposing the Court was against him in that to this city from Bocca Tigris, where he has view, he should submit that if the coal had pass- been directing the fresh measures for still further Matheson & Co. the latter had parted with their increasing the defences of the river. The news possession of it when they left it in the ous- of the fall of Langson and rout of the Chinese. tody of the master of the Mount Lebanon under forces compelled Peng to return to Canton to the terms of the charter party. Capt. Smith make arrangements for the despetch of rein-would not have received the coal on board as that of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., for he would not have consented to make a godown of The enrolment of three new regiments of, 500 regiments are being raised in Hunan, all for the terers were insolvent and it was to them the defence of this city, to take the place of the troops sent to the front in Kwangsi

Reng is not satisfied yet with the defence works impregnable to attack. Both the officials and the people of Canton would feel greatly relieved by was removed to the Military Hospital at the Wel. Mr. Francis thought it was necessary for the war being brought to a termination. The Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co. to prove every latter are suffering severely in consequence of fact of their case, and that the coal which had the hostilities. Business is extremely dull, worse than ever since the new year holidays, and there ates to induce timid people to keep away, and much money has been withdrawn from mercantile

A NEW REGATTA CODE.

The new rules as to regettas drawn up by the Amsteur Rowing Association have nothing very striking in them; and they are the more taken in this case, and in other recent suits, in likely to be approved, inasmuch as their authors have been content to avoid any ambitious pro-The Chief Justice thought these remarks lixity. The whole code, indeed, contains only 20 were entirely uncalled for. The Court had a rules, no one of which can provoke much opposidifficult task to perform, and it performed it to tion, or even much comment. The definition of an amateur is left to the other code which relates to boat racing generally; but a careful defini-Mr. Francis-No, but there are general prin. tion is given of the debatable terms "junior. carsman," and "junior soulls," and it is provided that the status of a junior is to be ascertained at the time of starting, and not at the time of entry, so that if between these two dates the individual carries off a prize, he will to disqualified from starting among men who have not won a race. There are some stringent regulations as to allowing a sufficient delay between the time of entering and the regatta itself; and committees ceased, said the man seemed as if he wanted to allowed to amend their petition, and argue the are required to utilise that period in ascertaining for themselves; whether requested to do so or not what is the real status of the amateurs desiring to appear. The practice of rowing under assumchin and tongue appeared to be turning black wrongly he had found that in accordance with ed names is still allowed, and very properly so, Witness had his face and neck bathed, and as he several authorities the defendants should have for private reasons may often make it impossible did not seem to revive he had him put into an obtained the authority of the Compania Mexi. for a man to allow his name to appear in the paambulance and sent to the Hospital at the bar. cana to set up their possession of the coal as a pers, although no one against whom he competes defence to the action. If he was wrong, it was can wish on that account to evolude him. But. Lance-Sergeant Stephen Cox said he was com. the very object of this rehearing that the de- due precautions are taken to ensure that the real manding the main guard at Wellington Bar. fendant should have a full opportunity of argu. names are in all such cases made known to the committee and the other men or clubs engaged between Deli and Singapore by means of the was brought down, which was at 11.20. The de Mr. Francis submitted that his client was put in the same race. There is a useful little rule as make it impossible henceforth for the members of cortain clubs to indulge in the abomination of sleeveless jerseys. On the whole the new code is simple, harmless, and drawn up in perfectly in-

> The managers of some Christmas sports held Mr. Francis said the onus of proof was now at Akyab during the Christmas week contrived ly set aside for ladies: the conditions being that the ponies were to be owned and regularly ridden by ladies, owners up. The course was a threefurlong one, over four flights of hurdles, in the hurdle race, and minus the hurdles, of course, in the flat race. The hurdle race fell through, to the regret of many, in consequence of its being reduced to a match. The flat race, however. brought to the post three competitors, and was

won easily by Mrs. Sladen. The fortunate young man who has won the affections of the Princess Bestrice is not the Wilson (of Messrs. Wetton and Deacon) for the youngest member of the Battenberg family. Prince Francis Joseph was born in 1861. His sister, Princess Marie, who married in 1871 Count Gustave d'Erbach Schoenberg, is the eldest being assigned for each day. As she is described

VESSELS ADVERTISED AS LOADING.

rested the other day for being drunk, but was Patna (Old) 595 discharged when it was learned that the suspicious | Benares (New) 590 symptoms were due to the fact that he was Benares (Old) 590 telling someone what his name was. The judge advised him to change his name to John Smith. Some European ladies passing through Con-stantinople paid a visit to a high Turkish func-Bank Bills, tionary. The host offered them refreshments, always taking care to give to one of the ladies double the quantity he gave the others. Flattered by this marked attention, she put the question through the interpreter, "Why do you serve me more liberally than the rest ?"-" Because you have a larger mouth," was the straightforward reply.

The Rev. Canon Bagot writes to the Freeman advocating the growth of the tobacco plant in Ireland. At the time of the Union it was of great importance as an industry, and formed the subject of a special clause in the Act; but in 1831 a new Act of Parliament made it penal to grow more than a very limited quantity on a farm. This led the way to its oxtinction, but it is believed it might be grown with considerable advantage to the farmers.

A man lately entered a tayorn in France lookas a crescent moon. He seated himself-languidly to a table, where a previous customer was taking | North China Insurance Tls. 285 per share. ally, "you appear much fatigned."-"Yes," re-"Dramatic writer, possibly?"-" No, sir. I am beards, and out the hair of thirty heads."

we find a remarkable example of the danger of of murder, especially when the death penalty is 33424 per share, ex. div. stone for the wrong done to the innocent viotim. They were seen near the house on the night of the murder, and their boots exactly corresponded Indo-China Steam Navigation Co.'s Shareswith the trails in the snow.

handsome young woman applied at the offices of and provided with a dowry and outfit, in com-Revolution. The clerk, seeing that she was share. alone, asked her why her intended had not come China Sugar Refining Company, Limited—Par. with her. - "My intended!" the damsel exclaimed China Sugar Refining Company (Debentures) in astonishment, "why, monsieur, I haven't got thing!"

sagori, Choshin, established in 1882, with a Government, is now (says the Choya Shimbun) tolerably thriving. Its produce equals in qua- Perak Tin Mining and Smelting Company lity any that has been imported hitherto, and the subscribed 20,000 year to the capital of the undertaking.

The Gazetta di Torino states that a treaty has been signed between England and Italy, in virtue of which Italy will occupy the territory comprised between Massowah and Obook. It is further provided that should the question of Tripoli arise, England should support the occupation of that province by Italy. England will also favour the creation of an Italian colony on the West African coast. The journal adds that Italy, on her side, will on all occasions afford moral support to England in her Egyptian policy, in order to create for England a privileged position in the Valley of the Nile.

A Man and his wife were visiting a menagerie. and the man, who had been much interested by the performances, inquired of the showman :-"Surely, sir. it must be a very difficult matter to tame these wild beasts?"-" Well," replied the man, "that's matter of opinion. The whole secret lies, in the power of the eye. With this look" (giving the inquirer the benefit of it) " I can tamo the most obstinate character."- Listen, my dear," said the man aside to his better half, "this is very interesting. Pray, sir, look at my wife for one moment in the same way." A good deal of nonsense is being written London theatres. £7,000 worth of seats have, it sons of Mdme. Sarah Bernhardt. But until

is said, been booked for "The Candidate," £10,000 worth for "The Princess George" at the Prince's, £12,000 for the pantomine at Drury Lane, and £14,000 for one of the past seamanagers can surpass the £28,000 said to have | Th. 11 been booked before the opening of the "coalition season" of Italian opera at Covent Garden, in which Patti, Titiens, Nilsson, De Mursky, Mongini, and Santley took part, the "highest bookings" ever known will hardly again have been There was a bit of unrehearsed pantomime at

the Theatre Royal, Oldham, the other night. jolly sailor was figuring on the stage, rolling the goggle eyes of his huge mask, and doing a level best to please the crowded audience, but had not calculated how many paces he might with safety take to the front. There was a thrill of expectant excitement when he was seen to advance to the foot-lights; there was a still greater thrill when he was seen to tumble over them; and there was a burst of applause when he pitched over into the orchestra upon the top of the leader and the first flute player, breaking one of the music-stands in his unfucky descent. He eventually recovered his equilibrium, and the performance proceeded. At Normanton a fight has taken place this New-Year between a Normanton miner and a spirited donkey, the property of a local innkeeper. The combat was watched by two hundred spectators, who occasionally cheered the dumb animal. The fight seems to have been arranged with the object of settling a public-house bet It took four men to fetch the donkey to the scratch. The miner deffed his jacket, waistcoat, and shirt. When the donkey had warmed to his work—kicking and biting—it was found that the Halphong... man would stand but little chance. The fight, Houstong... however, was continued for an hour and a half, and then the man "threw up the sponge.". The donkey was with difficulty got back to the stable.

It wanted to continue the battle. A rather extraordinary socident took place recently at the Grand Oriental Hotel in Colombo to a passenger to Australia who was staying the night there. This gentleman, a Mr. Thompson, having retired to his bedroom, and feeling the night close, opened his window and jumped out. thinking there was a balcony outside: There being none, he fell into the road below, and fractured the stump of his arm which had been amputated shortly before his departure from England, besides straining one leg severely, but escaping further injury in a marvellous manner. Surgical assistance having been procured. Mr.

Thompson's arm was set, and he was able to leave Hamidity by the steamer for Australia next day. A strange scene was (says the Bangalore Spectator) witnessed on the 15th January in Bangalore. A donkey grazing in the dry bed of the Sumpangi Tank suddenly began to go through some extraordinary antics, evidently in great terror. Something had got into one of its nostrils, and the poor beast was trying ineffectually to remove it. It was discovered that a small cobra had wriggled itself into the donkey's nose. A crowd of natives cellected round the spot, but did not attempt to help the poor animal out of his trouble; but a European soldier, an artilleryman, passing-by, and attracted by the crowd, laid hold of the donkey and pulled the snake out and killed it. The donkey was bitten, but our informant does not say if he is dead.

Sir Lyon Playfair is not above telling a good story, even when the point of it goes against himself. At the Colonial Institute, recently, in the course of a narrative of his recent visit to Canada, he mentioned that he had been struck with some mineral phosphates on the Ottawa river, and was in the act of chipping off a speci- THE Oldest and Largest Paper in the to communicate effectively with natives who Geanite State, Am. ship, Fitz.-Melchers men, when a grant Scotchman came on the L. Colony, with a Circulation far shead of understand nothing but Chinese. In this respect & Co. scene, and inquired if he had a permit from the any other local print. directors. Sir Lyon had to confess that he had | THE ONLY CEYLON JOUENAL that | Europeans residing in China, and to the natives me permit, whereupon he was accused of being a receives regular SPECIAL TELEGRAMS themselves it explains subjects fully with which mining adventurer, desirous of robbing the company to which the mineral phosphates belonged. from Bombay, Madras, Galie, &c.; besides
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Hongkong Observatory, 5th March, 1885. METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER. Previous On date On date at 10 a.m. at 4 p.m. Barometer 66.6 Direction of wind ... Force of wind Weather

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THE INDIAN MAIL. The direct steamers, with the next Indian mail, left Calcutte on the 18th February, and may be expected here on or about the 6th inst.

THE AMERICAN MAIL. The O. & O. steamer Arabic, with the American mail of the 3rd February, left Yokohama on the 1st, and is due here on or about the 7th inst. THE FRENCH MAIL.

The M. M. steamer Mclbourne, with the next French mail, left Singapore at 6 p.m. on the 28th February, and is due here on or about the 8th instant.

STEAMERS EXPECTED. The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Priam left Singapore on the 1st, and is due here on the 8th in-

The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Glaucus left Singapore on the 1st, and is due here on the 8th in

POST-OFFICE NOTICES.

Attention is invited to the following par doulars on the subject of Local Delivery :-LOCAL DELIVERY. - No delivery is attempted on board Ship, at the Peak, Kowloon, Aberdeen, &c., nor at any private house (even though named in the address) when there is a place of business nearer, at which delivery can be effected

Postal Guide, par. 159). The above Regulation is not new, but has been the invariable rule of the Post Office for many years. Considerable efforts have been made to seemre its being generally understood. To prevent, however, if possible, any further disappointment in the matter, it will appear permantly on the Mail Lists issued twice every day from the Daily Press Office.

The Postal Guide for 1885, revised to date will be found in the Daily Press Directory. p. 393 large edition, p. 657 small edition. This is the only authorized complete Summary of Postal information published in Hongkong.

The authorised List of Mails issued in connection with this paper is the one published despatched for San Francisco, vid Yoko- twice each day in our Extra, which is always

A MAIL WILL CLOSE. For Shanghai.—Per Yorkshire, to-day, the 6th idst., at 4.30 P.M. For Shanghai.-Per Glenroy, to-morrow, the For Amoy and Manila.-Per Esmeralda, to-

morrow, the 7th inst., at 4.30 P.M. -MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET. The French Contract Packet Saghalien will Colonies, Aden, Natal and the Cape, Egypt,

The usual hours will be observed in closing The Post Office declines all responsibility for For further information as to Freight Unregistered Letters containing Jewellery, &c., or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Com- and, where Registration has been neglected, will make no enquiries into alleged losses of such letters.

> MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET. The United States Mail Packet Oceanie will e despatched on FRIDAY, the 13th instant, with Mails for Japan, San Francisco, the United. States, Canada, Honolulu, Peru, &c., which will

2.15 P.M., Registry ceases. 2.30 P.M. Post-Office closes, but Correspondence may be posted on heard the Packet with Late Fee of 10 cents extra Postage until the time

of departure HOURS FOR CLOSING THE CONTRACT MAILS.

THE ENGLISH MAIL. The following hours are observed in closing Mails, &c., by the British Contract Packet:-Day of Departure. Neon.-Money Order Office closes.

2.00 P.M.-Registry of Letters ceases. Posting of all printed matter and patterns ceases. 3.00 P.M. - Mails closed, except for Late Letters. UN FIRE OFFICE. 3.10 P.M.—Letters may be posted with late fee of 10 cents antil 3.30 P.M. - whon the Post Office closes entirely. \$.40 P.M.—Liate Letters may be posted on board the packet with late fee of 10 cents, until

time of departure. THE FRENCH MAIL. Day before Departure. [13 5 P.M., Money Order Office closes. Post Office closes, except the night box, which is always open out of office hours. Day of Departure.

A.M., Post Office opens. 10 A.M., Registry of Letters ceases. Posting of all printed matter and patterns ceases. 11 A.M., Mail closes, except for Late Letters. 11.10 A.M., Letters may be posted with Late Fee of 10 cents until 11,30 A.M., when the Post Office closes entirely. 11.40 A.M. Late Letters may be posted on board

the packet with Late Fee of 10 Cents until time of departure. The Post Office declines all responsibility for Unregistered Letters containing Jewellery, &c., and, where Registration has been neglected, will make no enquiries into alleged losses of such

LOCAL AND INDIAN PARCEL POST. 1.—Small Parcols may be sent by Post at Book-Rates between Hongkong and any of the British Post Offices in China, as well as to Japan, Macao Pakhoi, the Straits Settlements, Ceylon and India. They must not exceed the following dimensions, feet long, I foot board, I foot deep, weigh more than 5lbs, nor be smaller than 3 in. by 2 in. by 2 in. Such parcels may be wholly closed if they bear this special endorsement, Parcel, containing no letter, but any parcel may be opened by direction of the Postmaster General. In the Case of Parcels for India a declaration of contents and value is required, a printed form for which is

supplied gratis. The Registration of Parcels for India and Ceylon is compulsory. RATES OF POSTAGE. Letters, per † oz. 10 Cents Post Cards, each Books, Patterns, and Commercial? 2 Cents.

Papers, per 2 oz. 2 Cents 10 Cents Do .. with return receipt ... Commercial papers signify such papers as though written by hand, do not bear the character of an actual or personal correspondence, such as invoices, deeds, copied music, &c. The charge. 164 is the same as for Books, but all packets of and

under 4 oz. weight are charged 5 cents. 1.—Postal Notes of the values named belowe payable within three months at any Post Offic. in the United Kingdom, at Gibraltar, or at Constantinople, can be obtained at Hongkong or at any British Post Office in China (except FIHE Undersigned having been appointed | Hollow and Tientsin) at the following prices,

> - 30 cents. 16 5/--....\$1.50. 10/---..\$2.95. All money orders on the United Kingdom for

sums not exceeding £5 applied for at Hongkong or Shanghai will be granted by means of these 2.—The purchaser of any Postal Note should keep a memorandum of its date and number. He must fill in the Pavee's name before parting with it. He may also fill in the name of the Office where payment is to be made. If this is

not done the note is payable (within three) months) anywhere in the United Kingdom, at Gibraltar, or at Constantinople. Any Postal Note may be crossed to a Bank. 3 - Postal Notes should always be forwarded in Registered Covers: If this precaution is not taken no enquinies whatever will be made as to the loss or alleged loss of any Note. No refund can be made in any case.

4.—Postal Nofes issued in the United King dem are not payable in Hongkong or China.

EXTRACT A NIGHT STORM

The day was full of hurld light, That from a broad, red disc shope down And slowly came the shades of night In lengthening swoops of sober brown. Then, as below the western hills The san went slowly out from sight,

The wind grow, and in stormy thrills -Went echoing far along the night. Across the mosdow sweeps, and where The trees their grotesque branches tossed, It filled the damp and chilly air With changing songs that soon were lost.

And from the forest grown a-cold It bore the leaves in swirling mass, And minyled crimson fleeks and gold Far up the mountain's narrowing pass. Where, out at sen, the great ships sailed, It roared about each yard and mast: And in the ocean hollows wailed,

While weary sea-gulls hurried past. The fishing craft for harbour sped; And through the biting froth and apray The flame that marked the beacon's head Paled to a wan and fitful gray. The swift rain hustled through the gloom

Anden the sodden sweeps of sand The great sea reliers loudly boom A challenge to the sturdy land. Northward the mountain's shadowy bound Was hid in sombre folds of cloud:

And for the lower hills resound. - With tumults resonant and loud. And for long hours the wind rushed by; Then suddenly the night grow still. And all the deep, mist shrouded sky With affinent glory seemed to fill.

And far below the southward sea . The heavy cloud-rack rolled away. And left the purple heavens free To the glad promise of the day. TROS. S. COLLIER, in Overland Monthly.

QUEER STORIES A MYSTERIOUS MURDER. PART I.

round the head of the house is looked upon you seen anybody about?" as a sort of petty king. The family has never enjoyed a very good reputation for the humbler virtues. The Vanstones, as a rule, mebe a poacher. did not care much about respectability. The men were generally soldiors, suilors, or sim-· less wanderers on the face of the earth, and and tall boots. Carried a knife, too," Vanstone over turned priest or lawyer. The you notice anything else about him?" looking pile of irregular buildings, with a face, but he heard his breath come quick and had murdered her to prevent an alarm. gloomy lake in front, and a mass of thick and short. trees on either side. In the stiff, formal "He had black eyes and curly hair, like a doragainst some person or persons unknown, garden there was a mausoleum, and one or organ-grinder." two railed-off plots, supposed to be the A passionate oath broke from Vanstone; the list of undiscovered crimes. After his tombs of long-forgotten ancestors. There he said no more, but strode rapidly towards wife's funeral Owen Vanstone went abroad, was not another house of any description the house, muttering to himself, while the his address being kept a secret from every with more than a mile of Darkhurst, and on keeper followed, at a respectful distance, one but his solicitor. The manor was shut one side a wild stretch of moorland came up greatly wondering at his master's singular up, and the servants paid off; the house was within a couple bundred yards of the emotion grounds.

floor of a musty attic, and a sort of banshee about the effect which the apparition had in the kitchen garden. Vanstones themselves produced upon his master. had long since become inured to ghostly That evening Mr. Vanstone ordered his DE QUINCEY AS AN OPIUM-EATER visitants and supernatural manifestations, clothes to be packed and announced his inand nervous servants were promptly dis- tention of going for a couple of days to

mation on the subject-his mother and a a ouse?" However, she managed to get things straight to stay in such a terrible house. At length, appeared.

travel. He looked a good ten years older ever produce. It sounded a long way off than his age, which Mrs. Bell knew to be but James Flint thought it must be close thirty-three. His face, too, seemed worn, upon him, and with a yell of abject terror he eyes, a watchful, suspicious expression, butler's room. He could hear Bootles anorwhich was somewhat unpleasant to meet, ing, and he burst in without further care-His wife, of course, accompanied him, and mony. there was an Italian maid and a cosmopolitan valet. The lady looked tired and cross, |der, murder; somebody's been killed!" by no means impressed the Darkhurst household with the idea that her birth was either lowly or obscure. But she was a foreigner, [idiot!" and spoke little or no English, and the servants did not take to her kindly. Why, they the matter," whimpered the boy. asked, did Mr. Owen bring his wife home in | "Go to the devil," rejoined the butler. this hole-and-corner fashion unless he was blowing out the light. " Have you never asbamed of ber?

The few county families in the neighbour- you wake me again I'll skin you alive ! bood of Darkhurst called upon the Van- So James crept back to his bed and lay stones, as in duty bound, but their civilities shuddering with fright until daylight. But met with very little response. The new when Teresina, the lady's-maid, went to call equire seemed to be a gloomy, morose man, ber mistress in the morning, she rushed out and his wife scarcely ever appeared in public, of the room with a terrible scream, and Stories of the most extraordinary description fainted dead away in the passage. The other circulated about this gurious couple, but servants gathered round her awestricken, in all probability, to take an important step for-So far as the servante could judge, he and keeper, who, feeling the necessity of showing his wife were affectionate exough after their a brave front, hardened her heart, and headed gant in his devotion. Occasionally, however, disorder. Drawers had been smashed open. there was a violent quarrel, passional re- jewel-cases shattered, and wardrobes forced. proaches on his side being followed by out. There had evidently been a terrible struggle, bursts of hysterical weeping on hers, and for one chair was broken to pieces, and the at meal-times. As time went on things marked by muddy boots. Lying half-dressed grew a little more peaceful at Darkhurst. across the bed was Stephania Vanstone, The quarrels were rarer, and Mrs. Vanstone dead and cold, her splendid eyes almost was seen more frequently out of her own forced from their sockets, and staring upbouse. People began to think that, after wards in glassy horror; her face blue and all, the Vanstones would reform, and become swollen, and ber snow-white neck blackened down by the strong arm of the law. Does the decent and useful members of the county by murderous fingers. The terrified women same fate swait football? Or will its admirers society. The more charitably disposed said could see that she had been strangled, for make and observe such regulations as shall bring that it was natural spough for Vanstone to the marks of the villain's hands were plainly it once more within the category of games?

keep his wife in seclusion until she know the visible. There was blood upon the carr English language, and had some opportuni- and, on looking more closely, they saw t

ty of learning British manners and customs, the unfortunate lady's jaw had been brok It was about six months after Owen Van- and three or four of her teeth knocked stone had come to Darkhurst. Cover-shoot- by a tremendous blow in the mouth. "M ing was on, and he had gone so far as to Bell sternly silenced the chattering of t ask two or three friends to help him to slay younger servants, and sent a groom fo the pheasants. Cords, the head-keeper, and doctor and the police, while she arrang his assistants had been anxiously watching the room, and decently covered the body the well-stocked preserves for weeks, deter- ber luckless mistress. Presently the doc mi sed that their master's first impression of and the local constable arrived. A the sport at Darkhurst should be a good Vanstone was past human aid; she Cords was strolling through the home by a robber whom she had disturb covers, a quarter of a mile or so from the in the act of stealing her jewels. The poli manor, when he caught sight of a dark men agreed with this theory. It was form among the trees. The sturdy York- feetly evident. The man had scaled the shireman at once thought of poschers, and covered wall and opened the window. It erouched down in the underwood to get a Vanstone had surprised him, and he better look at the stranger. He was a curious murdered her. Moreover, he had got cle sort of poncher. He were a slouched hat of away with his booty, for many value a kind Cords had never seen, and was jewels were missing. Under the wind wrapped up in a long dark cloak, which left there were the marks of feet, and here nothing of him visible except a pair of high constable found something which alm boots. Cords did not like the look of him solved the mystery, a black; slovenly had at all, and at once concluded that he must foreign make, such as is-or might be-w have felonious intentions upon either the by wondering Italians. Cords, the keep pheasants or the plate. So he crept a few at once identified this hat as exactly reser paces nearer, and waited. The stranger ap- ling that worn by the mysterious cloal peared to have missed his way; he glanced stranger in the wood, and loudly bewailed about in a perplexed fashion, and peered explessnessand bad lunk innot having succe amongst the trees as if in search of a path. ed in capturing the murderousruffian. Bu Presently, he seemed to have made up his montations were useless; the constable mind, and started off towards the house. down all he could gather from Cords, But it happened that he took the exact the available police force, aided by doz direction of Corde's hiding-place, and half- of volunteer detectives, at once began a-dozen paces brought him fairly up against secour the country in search of the foreig that worthy, as he rose from the ground. A telegram had, of course, been sent "What art doin' yere?" growled Cords, once to Mr. Vanstone, and later in the

making a grab at the other's collar. agility and a muttered oath. The keeper, effect upon him. His face was ghastly p othing daunted, advanced to effect a capture, | wrinkled, and worn; the suspicious loc but the other suddenly produced a long and his eyes was so intensified as to be absol very unpleasant-looking knife, brandished it ly painful; and the servants whispered in the keeper's eyes, and, as he hesitated an themselves that his bair had turned

went on his way, feeling exceedingly savage terrible grief. Somewhere in the North Riding York. and somewhat small. Another two hundred | Presently he came out with a white set shire is Darkburst Manor, the ancient resi- yards, and the gamekeeper emerged on a face, and inquired if a search was being dence of the Catholic family of Vaustone, long, straight drive leading to the Manor. made for the assassin. The housekeeper from time immemorial; parts of the old lively clutched his stick, for straight in front arm in a sling. house are supposed to date from the Early of him was another figure. But a glance "Have your burt your arm, sir," she Norman period; there is a chapel on the satisfied him that this time it was Mr. inquired. "Can I do anything?" premises wherein are laid the bones of Vanstone, and not the black-cloaked stranger. "Nothing," he answered carelessly. "I generations of Vanstones, and for miles "Good evenin', sir," said Cords, "have have only broken a finger-got, it jammed

"I met a queer-lookin' chap in there; "Why queer-looking?" asked Vanstone. detectives, searched unceasingly for the mur-"Well, he had a black cloak on, a soft hat, derer without the least success. An inquest the women were frequently the heroines of ". "You met a man just now like that?" transpired. There was really none to be given scandals in high life and causes célèbres. No asked Vanstone, speaking very slowly : "did except that of the gamekeeperand of the tellold house itself seemed to suit the stone of Cords thought his master's voice sounded wandering aruffian had forced his way into its proprietors. It was a grim, forbidding, hollow and strange. He could not see his Mrs. Vanetone's room in hopes of plunder,

Needless to say, Darkburst was baunted while Cords betook himself to the servants' spoke in awestruck whispers of the terrible by a more than the ordinary allowonce of hall, where he greatly interested and alarmed shrick which on dark and stormy nights was family ghosts. There was a white lady, and a group of admiring servant girls with a heard to echo through the wing where the a gentleman who habitually carried his head graphic description of the mysterious tres- murdered woman had slept. in his hands; there was a blood-stain on the passer. He did not, however, say anything

charged with 'a month's wages and scant London. He seemed to be on particularly bridge career he made the acquaintance of affectionate terms with his wife, and spent De Quincey, and in his account of this ex-When Owen Vanstone succeeded to the the evening in her boudoir. The next morn- traordinary man, tells how, lunching with family property by the unexpected death of ing he drove off early in his dog-cart and the De Quinceys, "I was asked what wine I an elder brother, no one had the faintest caught the first express south. The night would take, and not caring which it was, I ides in what part of the globe he was to be after Vanstone's departure was wild and was about to pour myse to me a glass from found: Atter a few months, however, spent stormy. The wind swept across the desolute the december that stood next to use. You in diligent search by private detectives, the moor and whistled dismally among the long must not take that,' whispered my boatess, new squire was discovered in a quiet and dark avenues. The servants sat up later it is not portwine, as you think. It was, out-of-the-way corner of Italy. He was a than usual, the more weak-minded ones in fact, laudanum, to which De Quincey roving, good-for-nothing vagahond, this being afraid to go to bed, while the case- presently helped himself." Owen, and nobody was much surprised to heardened old butler told grint stories of hear that, while in Italy, he had contracted the Darkhurst ghosts, and mightily enjoyed a somewhat undesirable marriage with a the effect his narratives produced upon the

rejoicings, triumphal arches, and ringing of mean of the wind, and waiting in agony for bells. A telegram preceded them only by a the appearance of the white lady through few hours, and the housekeeper at Dark- the rattling window or the creaking door. hurst Manor was eterribly fluttered at the The night was interminable, and the footshortness of the time left her for preparation. man vowed that nothing would induce him after a fashion, and knowing her master's just as he was on the point of falling asleep exceedingly awkward temper, she took good from sheer exhaustion, a sound broke upon care not to make any complaint when he his ears which seemed to freeze his very blood. It was a woman's shriek, a des-Vanstone had not improved by foreign pairing muffled cry which no wind could and there was a curious expression in his sprang out of bed and rushed towards the

"Oh, Mr. Bootles!" be screamed. "Mur.

One. evening, early in October, been violently strangled, most proba

he returned to the Manor. His wife's The stranger drew back with considerable | rible death had already produced a mar instant, dived into the underwood and dis- ceptibly grey. He went straight up to his wife's room and remained there a good bour, "If ar'd ou'y had ma goon, my fine gentle- during which Mrs. Bell, who remained outman!" cried Cords, as he plunged after the side to warn off inquisitive passers-by, heard retreating figure. But pursuit in the gather- more than one groun of anguish, and wept ing darkness was hopeless, and the keeper silently in sympathy with her master's

Darkburst has belonged to the Vanstones As he did so he started again, and instinct noticed for the first time he were his right

in a cab, door," and he showed her his hand bound up and in splints. For the next few days the entire local

population; and several specially-summoned was, of course, held: but no fresh evidence tale hat. No one had the least doubt that some So a verdict was returned of "Wilful Murand the Darkburst mystery was relegated to left to the bats and owls, and the country Mr. Vanstone entered the front door, people gave it a wider berth than ever, and

(To be continued). "

Mr. Pavo, in his literary reminiscences. tells the following story. During his Cam-

TOMATOES. According to the Colonial Mail a state- Hedvig daughter of the country. Some people said shuddering circle. One of the younger foot- ment comes from the Cape Colony which is Helicon that she was the discarded wife of a roue men, who had but recently arrived from deserving the attention of botanists. It is John C. Smith Jan. 18 N. B. Frass nobleman, some alleged she was the daughter London, was particularly awe-stricken. He alleged that insects shun the land on which Jessie Osborne Jan. of a Calabrian innkeeper, while others went so ent in open-mouthed horror while the stories tomatoes are grown; and the cultivation of Lennox Castle Oct. far as to assert that she was the actual head of the white lady and of the headless gen- the Lycopersicum esculentum is accordingly Livingstone of a flourishing band of brigands. Owen theman were unfolded to him. "Lor, recommended in all cases where it is possible Matilian Vanstone had only two relations who could Mr. Bootles," he at length ventured to to grow it-under fruit-trees, for instance, May be expected to have any trustworthy infor- remark, "'ow ever dare you stay in such since the tomato will thrive in the shade of Melbrek other trees, which few other plants will do- M. Lebanon married sister. But old Mrs. Vanstone lived "Because I knows when I've got a good for the sake of the virtues attributed to it Nicolas Thayer Dec. by herself in a lonely dower-house, and was berth, you young jackass," growled the as a prophylactic against the inroads of in- N. American a stern, uncommunicative woman; while butler, and James Flint subsided into silence sect peats. It would be interesting to know N. M. Slade Lady Dolby was yachting with her husband amidst the giggling of the servant girls. whether the tomato has been observed to in foreign seas. So the local gossips were But when James retired to his somewhat exercise any such effect on insects elsewhere Republic fain to be content to await the coming of the narrow bed he found it utterly hopeless to __in Canada, for instance, where the fruit is | Samar new heir and his mysterious bride. In due attempt to sleep. He lay awake for hours, so popular-or whether it is only in warmer | Spartan time they arrived, but without the customary quaking with fright at every successive climates, like that of the Cape, that its S. S. Ridgway Nov. peculiar powers are brought into play.

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THE LAW AS TO STRAY DOGS. Wagrien On Monday, before Mr. Commissioner W. H. Besse Kerr, an action was brought by Mr. Henry Sweeney, of 52, Downham Road, Dalston, against Mr. D. Dietz, landlord of the Crown and Cushion, London Wall, to recover the sum of £1 5s., expenses in keeping and re- Amov storing a stray dog. The plaintiff stated Fidelio that the animal in question followed bim on Melits November 10 from Broad Street Station to his place of business in Bishopsgate Street. It remained about the place all day, and in Activ the evening, seeing the dog was a valuable California one, he took it home with him and kept it till the 24th. In the meantime he advertised for the owner, the defendant, to whom he delivered the dog; but he had been un- | Douglas but she was certainly very handsome, and | The butler awoke deliberately, and struck | able to get any recompense for the trouble | Duburg and expense he had been put to. Mr. Namos "Oh, it's you, is it? You infernal young George, who appeared for the defendant, Swatow submitted that it was the plaintiff's first Tameui "For Heaven's sake come and see what's duty to take the dog to the nearest police station. The plaintiff, however, could not recover. He had done a kind and humans thing in taking the dog home and supplying Albatros heard the banshee? Go back to bed, and if it with food; but he was under no obligation Caroline to do so or incur expense in advertising. Defendant asked 5s. expenses. The Judge refused to award a farthing, and said that plaintiff had been treated very scurvily.

The British Medical Journal says:-The authorities of Harvard University, U.S.A., are about, Vanstone was evidently indifferent to public and, for some time, no one dared to re-enter is a very well-known maxim, so often quoted that Batavia it is somewhat musty, which lays it down that a Canganore thorough study of the liberal arts soften men's Chingtah manners, and suffers them not to be brutal; but D. I. l'enney own fashion. She was marvellously beauti- a small expedition of discovery. And this this humanising influence of a liberal education Else ful, and he was sometimes almost extrava- is what she saw:-The room was in complete may be to a great extent neutralised, if hours Hermans. which should be devoted to exercise and relaxa- Leevil tion are wasted on brutal sports. All true lovers Northampton Nov. of the higher education of mind and body will Rebecca rejoice to learn that the following notice has been | Robt. S. B'nard Jan. 14 Andrews posted up at Harvard College:—"The Committee | Sea Swallow | Feb. then for weeks together the two lived almost carpet had been torn up in places. The apart, speaking but rarely, and meeting only window was wide open, and the sash was game of football as at present played by college on Athletics, having become convinced that the Solidor teams is brutal, demoralising to players and to spectators, and extremely dangerous, propose to request the faculty to prohibit the game after the close of the present season." Bear-lighting, Birker bull-baiting, cock-fighting, prize-fighting, and Queen Emma

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